

DARING BRODIE.

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the river from a tree in Passaic Park, in Passaic, N. J., in 1892, was the reply.

"Wall, I'll do better. I'll jump over the wall," retorted Steve, quickly.

The Jerseymen laughed derisively and went away.

Yesterday Steve and a friend went to Paterson and examined the fall. The jump was a nasty one.

The only point he could descend from was the point, a flat and narrow ledge of rock, at the end of a chain of rocks called Eagle Point Rock, the highest above the fall. Steve determined to make his leap from there, and picked the spot below into which he meant to jump.

While looking over the ground the body of the young man Leach was discovered mangled almost beyond recognition. This did not phase Steve in the least, however.

He returned to New York and sent an invitation to THE EVENING WORLD to send a representative and witness the jump this morning.

William Harding of the Police Gazette, was also expected to be along, but in consequence of the illness of his wife's mother he could not go.

After a hearty breakfast in Everett's Hotel on Vesey street Steve and a party of twelve friends started for Paterson at the 4.30 A. M. train on the Erie road this morning.

After reaching the point from which he had determined to jump, and while making his preparations, one of Brodie's party became seasick and fell overboard.

Brodie had to climb in his stocking feet onto the rock, and while doing so nearly slipped off a slimy tree trunk.

Had he done so he could not have escaped the rocks below, and would have been recovered a crushed mass of flesh and bone.

Fortunately, he made the leap in safety. He was seen at his saloon on the Jersey shore by an Everett's reporter after his return this morning, and he said:

"I am going to jump the Genesee Falls some day, and then I am done bridge-jumping forever."

His handsome little wife interrupted and said:

"The very first time, Steve Brodie, that I have seen you jump again I will have you put in a lunatic asylum."

"I don't want to be left a widow," she ended, with a fond glance at him.

Brodie's leap this morning was not the highest, but it was about the most perilous ever made.

When Patch jumped he did it safely, but did not jump the falls, but from a position below them. Brodie's highest leap was from the Poughkeepsie Bridge, a distance of 220 feet.

CHRIST AS WAGNER'S IDEAL.

A Search for the Highest Order of Music Made the Composer a Christian.

At Dr. Hober Newton's church yesterday afternoon a lecture was delivered by Albert Ross Parsons, of Garden City, L. I., on "The Finding of Christ Through Art, or Richard Wagner as a Theologian." The lecturer said that Wagner's studies, up to the age of thirty-five, had made him an infidel. After that age, in his search for a higher order of musical drama, he had found Christ, the finding of whom had made him a Christian.

Following his life to its vital union with Christianity, it was found that Wagner had reached the highest of which he was capable as a student. Though his works savored of the mystic, yet it was in the high culture of mythology that lay the grand conception of true human sympathy which was the secret of the conquest by the Church of the great Eastern world. The theme of Christianity rose above that science which to the deism of Judaism and Islamism is inferior.

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The force of this denunciation is felt particularly by the Board of Aldermen, who had charged the decorations, and especially by the four German-American members of the Board who are thus criticized.

That this action of the German-American Centennial Committee is not warranted by the law in the case is apparent from the testimony of C. H. Koster, the decorator of the Hall, himself a German, and of others about the City Hall.

Mr. Koster said that the German coat-of-arms was one of the first to be placed on the Hall, and that it was introduced by a letter received by the Board of Aldermen, who had moved to be replaced by German flags, the time being insufficient to prepare another.

Mayor's Chief Clerk, this morning that he was positive that he had seen the German coat-of-arms among the decorations on the southwest corner of the building.

ROCHEFORD UNDER BONDS.

The Police Court Sequel to His Encounter with M. Pilote.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE EVENING WORLD.

LONDON, May 20.—The sequel to Henri Rochefort's amusing street encounter with M. Pilote occurred in the Vine Street Police Court this morning.

Rochefort was arraigned before the magistrate and put under two bonds of £50 each to keep the peace for six months. He was also required to furnish surety in £100.

MAYOR GRANT AS A SPHINX.

NO APPOINTMENTS YET TO ALLAY THE ANXIETY OF THE BRAVES.

City Hall Prophets Once More Jumbled.—It is Now Said the State Will Not Be Visible Until June 1.—Register Slews Said to Have a Prospect of Becoming Police Commissioner.

Again were the political prophets confounded this morning, and the hundreds of candidates for office within the gift of the Mayor are still on the anxious seat.

After two days of labor the Mayor's slate is still incomplete, or if it is complete, it is not ready for exhibition and may not be shown, it is said, until June 1.

Mayor Grant did not say that he would withhold his appointments until that time, but it did say, when he arrived at the City Hall this morning that no Commissioners or Police Justices would be named to-day.

The Committee on Honors made another report on the situation to-day.

It was to the effect that Deputy Register James J. Martin who has been the most promising candidate for Police Commissioner in place of Stephen B. French, will resign his claims to the office in favor of his chief, Register Slewin.

This arrangement would make Mr. Martin Register, and the Tammany candidate for that office next Fall.

There is a minority report of the Committee, too, to the effect that Register Slewin has no show for appointment, and Mayor Grant, in place of Stephen B. French, will be supplanted in the Police Board by a Tammany man, has been adopted by everybody but Mayor Grant.

French is said to be a strong candidate for Police Justice.

GEN. TRACY TAKES A BRIEF.

COUNSEL IN A SUIT FOR DAMAGES IN BROOKLYN CITY COURT TO-DAY.

Gen. Benjamin F. Tracy, Secretary of the Navy, made his appearance in the Brooklyn City Court this morning as counsel in a damage suit against the Atlantic Avenue Railroad Company.

He was counsel for President Richardson in a suit brought by Thomas Holmes, through his guardian, to recover \$30,000 damages for the loss of a leg.

Holmes, who is slightly demented, was the butt of ridicule among the boys around his home in Park avenue. Some few months ago he gave chase to his tormentors, and fell in front of one of the Deacons' cars on Park avenue.

The horses knocked him down, and the wheels of the car passed over his leg.

Amputation had to be resorted to. In a previous suit the jury awarded the plaintiff \$15,000. The verdict was set aside and a second trial ordered.

On the second trial a disagreement followed. This is the third time the case has been tried.

A DANGEROUS NEGRESS.

She Is Held for Shooting at Her White Servant.

Mary Jenkins, a colored woman in a flaming red dress, was held for trial by Judge Wanser in Jersey City this morning for shooting at Annie May, her white servant.

Mary is the wife of George Jenkins, a Pullman parlor-car porter, and lives in 1604 Halliday street.

James Scott, a young colored man, is a boarder there.

The colored woman was in her own room yesterday morning when she called her white servant up from the kitchen.

As the white girl entered the room, the colored woman's room was greeted with four shots, fired at her by her colored mistress.

The bullet struck the wall near the door, and Annie ran downstairs and hid in the shed.

Patrolmen Reddy and Manning and Detective Holte arrested the two women and Scott, who were in the house at the time.

In court this morning Mrs. Jenkins said at first she did not recall the case.

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WASHINGTON IRVING BISHOP BURIED TO-DAY IN GREENWOOD.

Funeral Services Held in Grace Church This Morning.—His Body Photographed in the Coffin.—Fears for His Mother's Mental Condition.—Eminent European Physicians to Hold Another Autopsy at Her Demand.

The body of Washington Irving Bishop was removed from Hawke's undertaking establishment at No. 5 Sixth avenue at 12.30 this afternoon and taken to the Hoffman House.

The casket was of cedar covered with black cloth and velvet and rich drapery inside and out.

The corridors and parlors of the Hoffman were thronged with friends and acquaintances of the dead mind-reader.

Mrs. Bishop is nearly frantic with grief and her friends fear that her mind has become affected by the loss of her son.

In the advertisement of his death, which she had published to-day, she refers to her son as "Washington Irving Bishop" and goes on to give his pedigree and the number of clubs and societies to which he belonged.

From the Hoffman House the body was taken to Grace Church, where the funeral services were held.

Thence the funeral proceeded to Greenwood Cemetery, where Bishop was laid beside his father.

His picture in his coffin was taken at the undertaker's shop this morning.

His mother says she has eminent physicians coming from Europe and the West, and that when they arrive another autopsy will be held, as she is not yet satisfied that her son was dead when the original autopsy was made.

The reason that the Freemasons did not take charge of the funeral, as requested by Mr. Bishop, is that although a prominent Mason across the water, Bishop never affiliated with the fraternity on this side, and according to a law of the society the Mason here could not take charge of the funeral arrangements.

"HELD UP" ON CHERRY HILL.

Two of the Highwaymen Captured and Held for Trial.

John McCarthy, of 645 Water street; Joseph Carroll, alias John Cunningham, of the New-boys' Lodging-House, and two other young members of the Cherry Hill gang grabbed hold of Benjamin F. Howe, a resident of Danbury, Conn., while he was on his way to work, and carried him to a house on Cherry Hill.

Howe shouted lustily for the police. A policeman came and arrested McCarthy and Carroll. The others escaped.

At the Tombs Police Court this morning Howe said he was a train for home yesterday, and carried by the Cherry Hill gang, and was waiting for another in view of the sights.

He said he himself was perfectly satisfied with what he saw, and said his curiosity was gratified.

The prisoners were held for trial by Justice Kilbuck.

A Circus Man Shot and Killed.

MAYFIELD, Ky., May 20.—E. F. Cross, a circus man, well known in New York and other large cities, was shot and killed here this morning by Henriette McDaniel, the proprietress of a house of ill-repute. He had been ordered away and refused to go. He was with Stow & Long's show.

Walter Zimmer Shoots Himself.

Frederick Zimmer, twenty-two years old, a German waiter, attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head at his residence, 8 Stanton street, this morning.

He inflicted fatal injuries upon himself, and was removed to Gouverneur Hospital. He is single and no cause is known for his act.

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MORGAN.—On Sunday, May 19, Mrs. JANE MORGAN, at her late residence, 206 West 49th st.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

FIRE STOPS THE MESSAGES.

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY SUFFERS FROM A LIVELY BLAZE.

Electric sparks flew from a switchboard in the operating-room of the Postal Telegraph Company, on the fifth floor of 5 and 7 Day street, at 5 o'clock this morning, and caused a lively fire in the City Department.

The hundred operators are usually employed in the room, but there were only six persons in it when the fire broke out.

The company has a little fire department composed of its employees, and it got to work quickly with extinguishers and axes, but the flames spread so rapidly that the City Fire Department had to be summoned.

About a dozen telegraphic instruments and the tables and chairs used by the operators, quite a large quantity of telegraphic blanks and messages that had been sent were either burned by fire or damaged by water.

The fire burned the floor and roof on the south end of the building, which is owned by A. DeCar.

Water poured into the fifth floor by the firemen ran down the door below and did some damage to several tenants.

Twenty-five young men, who were waiting for the mail on the fifth floor of the main office at 187 Broadway this morning waiting for the mail, were set up new instruments and tables, made new connections with the myriad of broken wires and get things in order again in the damaged operating-room.

Manager Charles Shirley said that the fire would cause the delay of a few hours only, and would not interfere with the service of the Western Union Association of wires out-of-town business.

The loss is estimated at \$3,000.

MARSHALL'S MAD INFATUATION.

He Wanted to Kill His Cousin's Wife Because She Wouldn't Elope.

Richard Marshall, a boatman of Brooklyn, was this morning held for trial on two charges by Justice Stirling, of Jersey City.

Marshall was in the habit of calling on his cousin, John Marshall, in Jersey City. He seemed particularly fond of his cousin's wife, and wanted her to elope with him.

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